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Education

- **Ph.D. in Economics**, *University of California, Riverside, Expected June 2010*
 - Major Fields – Advanced Microeconomic Theory (Field Exam Passed 9/2007), Advanced Macroeconomic Theory, Environmental Economics & Resource Management
 - Minor Field – Advanced Econometrics
- **M.A. in Economics**, *University of California, Riverside, December 2006*
- **B.A. with Honors in Economics**, *The Johns Hopkins University May 2005*
 - Additional Major – Applied Mathematics
 - Minors – Mathematics, Entrepreneurship & Management
 - Graduated in three years; Pre Med/Pre Law

Dissertation

- “*Essays on Behavioral Dynamics and Strategic Inefficiency*”
 - Under Professors R. Robert Russell (Co-Chair), David Malueg (Co-chair), Amnon Rapoport, and Jang-Ting Guo

Research Interests

- Experimental & Behavioral Economics, Game Theory, Industrial Organization, Financial Markets, Production Efficiency, Environmental Economics

Teaching Experience

- **University of California, Riverside, 2005-Present**
 - *Lecturer/Associate In* – Graduate Mathematical Methods in Economics, Industrial Organization, Law and Economics, Managerial Economics; Intermediate Microeconomic Theory I & II, Intro to Microeconomics
 - *Teaching Assistant* – Graduate Microeconomic Theory, Intermediate Microeconomic Theory I & II, Intro to Microeconomics, Industrial Organization
 - *Grader* – International Trade, Labor Economics, American Economic History
- **Kaplan Test Prep. and Admissions, Riverside, 2006-Present**
 - *Faculty* – GRE*, GMAT*, LSAT*, SAT, PCAT
- **The Johns Hopkins University, 2004-2005**
 - *Tutor, Office of Academic Advising* - Microeconomic Theory, Macroeconomic Theory, International Trade, Investment Portfolio Management, Econometrics, Calculus 1&2, and Physics 1&2.

Honors and Awards

- Elite Faculty Member, Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions, Riverside 2009
- Teacher of the Year, Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions, Riverside 2007-2008
- Chancellor's Distinguished Fellow, University of California, Riverside 2005
- The Matthew Crenson Scholarship for Outstanding Academic Record 2005
- Outstanding Technology Transfer Proposal, Applied Physics Lab, Johns Hopkins 2005
- Dean's List, The Johns Hopkins University 2003-2004
- Berks Best Nominee, Social Sciences 2002
- Joseph E. Charnigo Award, Physics and Chemistry 2002
- E. Jerry Brooks Award, Outstanding Scholar and Sportsman 2002

Working Papers

- "*Experimental Evidence and Measurement of Inter Temporal Strategic Inefficiency*"
- "*Partial Differential Specification of Endogenous Time Preference*"
- "*Estimating the Time and State Effects in Subjective Discounting Dynamics*"

Professional Activity

- **Research Assistant**, under Professor Richard Arnott, Editor for "The Corridor Problem," December 2007.
- **Intellectual Property Consultant**, *The Whitaker Biomedical Engineering Institute* at the Johns Hopkins University, microfluidics chip technology with medical applications; *The Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory*, integrated storage system for compressed hydrogen gas fuel cell technology. Spring and Summer 2005.
- **Intern**, under the *Associate Vice President of Investments: Wachovia Securities, Moy/Zaft Consulting* – Baltimore, MD: Unpaid internship for credit during the intersession term January 2004 which led to a paid position during the spring semester from February to April 2004.

Conferences Attended

- All UC Econometrics Conference, Riverside, September 2009
- Conference on Business Cycles: Theoretical and Empirical Advances, UC Riverside, April 2009
- Southwest Economic Theory Conference, CalTech, March 2009
- Helped organize the conference on "Non-Welfaristic Welfare: Capability, Choice, and Rights" in honor of Prasanta Pattanaik, UC Riverside, October 2007

References

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